



Alaska Air National Guard Announcement Number: AKANG 11-65

Position Title: Air Battle Manager

AFSC: 13B3C

Grade Req: MIN 04

MAX 05

Contingent upon availability of controlled grade

2 positions available

Unit/Duty Location: 176th Air Control Squadron, Joint Base Elmendorf Richardson, Alaska

OPENING DATE: 21 JUNE 2011

CLOSING DATE: 21 JULY 2011

WHO MAY APPLY/AREAS OF CONSIDERATION: NATIONWIDE

AREA OF CONSIDERATION: *Applications for this announcement (AKANG 11-65)* that will be forwarded for consideration will consist of all Alaska Air National Guard personnel who 1) currently hold the advertised AFSC at the advertised skill level, and meet the grade requirement listed above or 2) AKANG members who meet the minimum criteria for retraining (specifications listed below) and meet the grade requirement or 3) personnel who are eligible to become members of the Alaska Air National Guard, or meet the minimum criteria for retraining as stated below in addition to meeting the listed grade requirements. If you do not meet any of these criteria, your application will not be forwarded for consideration. ***All members MUST meet the grade requirement and medical requirements outlined***

SELECTING SUPERVISOR: Lt Col Baldwin

Major duties may include:

- Perform duties of air weapons officer, air surveillance officer, sensor management officer, electronic combat officer, senior director, mission crew commander to accomplish combat, combat support, training, and other missions
- Plan and prepare for mission. Reviews mission tasking, intelligence, and weather information
- Supervise mission planning, preparation of flight plan, and crew briefing
- Ensure aircraft and battle management command and control (BMC2) systems are preflighted, inspected, loaded, equipped and manned for mission
- Control assigned joint weapons systems (kinetic/non-kinetic, air/space/ground/cyber), forces, functions, and effects
- Command crew, operate available sensors/BMC2 systems
- Perform, supervise, coordinates, or directs joint fires, force accountability, dynamic package development, real-time dynamic targeting, tactical data link management/execution and airspace control
- Conduct theater air, ground, and surface surveillance and detects and validates emerging targets
- accomplish combat identification, apply rules of engagement, provide threat warning to joint forces and integrates joint/coalition C2 and ISR capabilities
- Conduct or supervise training of crewmembers
- Ensure operational readiness of crew by conducting or supervising mission specific training
- Develop plans and policies, monitors operations, and advises commanders
- Assist commanders and perform staff functions related to this specialty
- Additional duties as assigned

Initial Eligibility Criteria: SECURITY CLEARANCE

Top Secret

- Current and/or ability to gain an aeronautical rating and qualification for aviation service IAW AFI 11-402., Aviation and Parachutist Service
- Successful achievement of applicable Aeronautical Ratings and Badges are mandatory for award and retention of Air Battle Manager AFSC
- For entry into this specialty, physical qualification for a Flying Class III physical according to AFI 48-123, *Medical Examination and Standards*

Desirables:

- Knowledge is mandatory of theory of flight, BMC2/weapons control fundamentals, meteorology, flying directives, aircraft/BMC2 system operating procedures, and joint mission tactics
- For entry into this specialty, an undergraduate degree specializing in physical sciences, mathematics, administration or management is desirable
- Prior to entry into suffix specialized training courses, completion of Air Force Undergraduate ABM Training
- For award of AFSC 13B3X, completion of transition and/or operational training in the suffix specific weapon system
- For upgrade to AFSCs 13B3X, unit commander determines proficiency based on performance, experience, and completion of minimum training requirements
- Experience working in the Alaskan NORAD Region
- Currently or previously held the Combat Mission Ready Mission Crew Commander Qualification

See page 2 for All Required Documentation needed

Applicants must not be entitled to receive Federal military retired or retainer pay or Federal civil service annuities and not be eligible for immediate Federal civil service annuities	Individuals who have been separated from other military services for cause, unsuitability, or unfitness for military service are not eligible to enter the AGR program	IAW ANGI 36-101 "Initial tours may not exceed 6 years..." AGR tours may not extend beyond an Enlisted member's ETS or an Officer's MSD
Airmen must meet the minimum requirements for each fitness component in addition to scoring an overall composite of 75 or higher for entry into the AGR program. For members with a documented Duty Limitation Code (DLC) which prohibits them from performing one or more components of the Fitness Assessment, an overall "Pass" rating is required	Individuals selected for AGR tours must meet the Preventative Health Assessment (PHA)/physical qualifications outlined in AFI 48-123, Medical Examination and Standards. They must also be current in all Individual Medical Readiness (IMR) requirements to include immunizations. RCPHA/PHA and dental must be conducted not more than 12 months prior to entry on AGR duty and an HIV test must be completed not more than six months prior to the start date of the AGR tour. Individuals transferring from Title 10 (Regular Air Force or Reserve Component Title 10 Statutory Tour) are not required to have a new physical unless the previous physical is over 12 months old at time of entry into AGR status	An applicant's military grade cannot exceed the maximum military authorized grade on the UMD for the AGR position. Enlisted Airmen who are voluntarily assigned to a position which would cause an overgrade must indicate in writing a willingness to be administratively reduced in grade in accordance with ANGI 36-2503, Administrative Demotion of Airmen, when assigned to the position. Acceptance of demotion must be in writing and included in the assignment application package. Application Package will not be forwarded without statement
ANGI 36-101 "applicant must be able to complete 20 years of active federal service prior to MSD for officers and age 60 for enlisted members. Exceptions may be considered...."	If a selectee does not possess the advertised AFSC, he/she must complete the required training/assignment criteria within 12 months of being assigned to the position. Failure to do so may result in immediate termination. Extension past 12-months will only be considered if the delay is through no fault of the selectee	Any further questions regarding the AGR program may be answered in ANGI 36-101

APPLICATION PROCEDURES: Interested applicants who meet the eligibility criteria listed in this announcement may apply by submitting the below listed documents to the **Alaska National Guard, Human Resources Office, HRO, Building 49000 Room D-209, Post Office Box 5800, Joint Base Elmendorf Ricahrdson, AK 99505-5800.** Complete applications must be received in HRO-AGR office no later than 1600 or postmarked on or before the closing date. US government postage paid envelopes or government facsimile machines (FAX) may NOT be used in submitting applications. All applications must be typed or printed in legible dark ink and must be signed and dated with original signature. Applications received that are not signed will not be forwarded for consideration. Applicants may include copies of training certificates or any documentation that may be applicable to the position they are applying for but the application package must include at least the NGB-34-1, current Report of Individual Person (RIP), and current Report of Individual Fitness. Items 4-6 are requested *by the selecting supervisor*. If the requested documents are not submitted, you may include a letter of explanation.

1. NGB Form 34-1 (Application Form for Active Guard/Reserve (AGR) Position)
2. CURRENT Records Review RIP (available on vMPF)
3. CURRENT Report of Individual Fitness (from Air Force Fitness Management Systems (AFFMS))
4. CURRENT AF Form 422 Notification of Air Force Member's Qualification Status (from clinic)
5. Cover Letter & Resume
6. Last 3 Officer Performance Evaluations

****SUBMIT NO STAPLES/NO BINDINGS****

**** Alaska Air National Guard - Applicants who do not possess advertised AFSC must sign a statement of agreement that they will retrain to the required AFSC upon accepting the position within 12 months. Signed statement must be submitted with application****

QUESTIONS:

The HRO Liaison- 176th Force Support Flight, MSgt Kelly Shewfelt, 907-551-7648 (DSN 317-551-7648)
To verify receipt of application, you may call 907-428-6242 (DSN 317-384-4242)

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Eligible applicants will be considered without regard to race, sex, age, religion, marital status, national origin, political affiliation or any other non-merit factor. Due to restrictions in assignment to certain units and MOS some positions may have gender restrictions.